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Three Killed In Firing By Military Patrol In Delhi

Alleged Attempt To Damage Railway Track

FIRING AND LATHI CHARGE ON AHMEDABAD PROCESSIONISTS

NEW DELHI, November 3.

Military patrolling the railway line near Seelampur Canal three miles from Delhi are reported to have fired a few shots on certain persons who were noticed attempting to damage the track.

Three persons are said to have been killed.—A. P.

Bomb-Find Near Cinema

NEW DELHI:—An unexploded crude bomb was found near the Odeon Cinema, New Delhi, recently and taken possession of by the New Delhi Police.—A. P.

Tin Box Scare

SHOLAPUR, Nov. 3.

A small ball contained in a tin box with the words "Danger—Touch me not", was removed by the police in a bucket full of water from a place near the Panjrapole.—United Press.

Panchayat And School Records Set On Fire

BELGAUM, Nov. 3.

The village Kulkarni of Badas in the Belgaum Taluka was overpowered and the village "daftar" removed from him. The records of the village Panchayat at Itagi were set on fire. The records of the primary school at Bedkihal in Chikodi Taluka were set on fire.—United Press.

Arrests For Alleged Cutting Of Wires

CALCUTTA, Nov. 3.

A Barisal message states that three youngmen from Katakasthal under Gournadi p.s. were brought down there under arrest in connection with alleged cutting of telegraph wires. They were produced in court and remanded to custody pending trial.

The total number of arrests made so far in Muktagacha town in connection with the Congress movement is 21, according to a report. Three arrests were made on October 26 when a Congress meeting was held in the local maidan. A matriculate student of Ichhapura, Brahmanbaria p.s., was arrested under Section 129 of the Defence of India Rules.—United Press.

Three Nagpur Presses Searched

NAGPUR, Nov. 3.

The police searched this afternoon the Marwari Press, the Independent Press and the Narayan Mudranalaya Press, in connection with the suspected publication of an objectionable book.

Some papers are alleged to have been seized from the Narayan Mudranalaya Press.—A. P.

Arrests In Surat

SURAT, Nov. 3.

Three sub-post offices in the Jalalpore Talukka have been closed down by the authorities, says a report reaching here.

Two persons were arrested in Surat to-day under the D.I.R. An Olpad report says seven persons were arrested there yesterday.—A. P.

Arrested Merchants Released

SURAT, Nov. 3.—Shops in the city which remained closed for ten days reopened to-day. Merchants who had been arrested under the D. I. R. for observing hartal on October 9 were released this morning.—A. P.

Muttra Arrests

(From A Correspondent.)

MUTTRA, Nov. 3.

The police has arrested a carpenter with a loaded revolver.

A Municipal teacher has also been arrested in this connection.

LATHI CHARGE, FIRING AND ARRESTS

AHMEDABAD, Nov. 3.

Police resorted to mild lathi charge and fired one shot to disperse two processions which threw stones. Another procession was dispersed after four arrests were made.

Four letter boxes were burnt today including the one in the head Post Office, while four postmen were assaulted and relieved of their post bags.

Glass windows of a Municipal school were broken and a flour factory was picketed. The picketers were dispersed by the police.

A lorry containing military clothes was robbed on a public thoroughfare.

One Municipal servant who was on strike was arrested under the D.I.R.—A. P.

Collective Fines In Villages

BELGAUM, Nov. 3.

The Government of Bombay have imposed a collective fine of Rs. 1,500 each on the villages of Hebbal, Hiredalligeri and Betnur.

Mr. Rudragouda Patil Chulaki, a Congress worker of Soundatti, has been arrested. Seven persons have been put under arrest at Neginhal and their houses searched. Three persons have been taken into custody for picketing schools on the day of their annual inspection at Sankeshwar. Two persons of the village of Satti in Athani Taluka have been arrested under the Defence of India Rules.

Basavalingappa Dhan, a merchant of Sankeshwar, has been taken into custody. The house of Mr. Ramarao in the same town has been searched and his son Bapurao put under arrest. One person was arrested at Kittur and another at the village of Bendegiri. Half a dozen persons were taken into custody at Akkatanagerhal. One person was sentenced to 12 months' R. I. and to pay a fine of Rs. 50, in default to three months' further R.I. for organising an unauthorised procession. Another person was sentenced to six months' rigorous imprisonment for the same offence.—United Press.

Dharwar Searches And Arrests

DHARWAR, Nov. 2: Searches were carried out by the police with the aid of the military in several villages of Hirekerur and Ranebennur talukas of Dharwar district. About 50 to 60 persons have been taken into custody.—A. P.

Khudai Khidmatgars Arrested

PESHAWAR, Nov. 3.

A batch of Khudai Khidmatgars were led to police lines to-day while they were going towards the Sessions Court, Peshawar. They were detained till evening and subsequently sent to jail. At Mardan also volunteers who went to picket courts were arrested. A similar procedure was adopted yesterday when all Khudai Khidmatgars were arrested and sent to jail.—United Press.

MAKE WAR AIMS CLEARER

"Chicago Sun's" Call To United Nations

NEW YORK, Nov. 3.

"What are we waiting for"? asks the "Chicago Sun" to-day in an article supporting the belief that the United States "should take the lead in organised United Nations action" to make Allied war aims clearer.

"Such action ought to be able TO HASTEN THE BIRTH OF A SENSIBLE UNITED NATIONS' POLICY ON INDIA, assist a democratic revolution in Italy, afford a pool of the best thought of the world on the post-war German problem, correlate plans of the Allies for the vast job of reconstruction in Europe and Asia."—Reuter.

U. S. PLANES BOMB HONGKONG

CHUNGKING, Nov. 3.

A "Communique" issued by Gen. Stilwell's headquarters last night states that Hongkong was again raided on October 28 by American fighters, says Chungking radio.

Japanese shipping and installations in Kowloon harbour were bombed and strafed. Direct hits were scored on an enemy freighter and near misses on two others An anti-aircraft position was silenced.

One American fighter crashed into the harbour believed to be shot down by Japanese "Zeros" and R-35 fighters, which intercepted the formation.

T. V. SOONG TO VISIT BRITAIN AND RUSSIA

The first indication that the Chinese Foreign Minister Dr. T. V. Soong is going abroad again was given at a Press Conference here to-day when Dr. Soong said that he hoped to proceed to Britain soon and, if an opportunity arose, would also visit Russia.—Reuter.

YERAWDA JAIL COMMOTION

Sequel To Escape Of Four Politicals

POONA, Nov. 3.

FOLLOWING THE ESCAPE OF FOUR POLITICAL PRISONERS INTERNED IN THE YERAWDA PRISON THERE WAS A SUDDEN OUTBREAK OF DISORDERLY BEHAVIOUR AMONG THE POLITICAL PRISONERS IN THE JAIL THIS AFTERNOON.

ORDER WAS, HOWEVER, RESTORED AND THE SITUATION BROUGHT UNDER CONTROL WITH THE ARRIVAL OF EXTRA POLICE HELP.—A. P.

U.S. GOES TO POLLS

But Expeditionary Forces Not Interested

WASHINGTON, Nov. 3.

America will halt only briefly her war stride to vote in to-day's elections which will determine the makeup of the seventy-eighth Congress and state administration. Although there is no political truce, there is no disposition to relegate the war even temporarily to a secondary place.

From 1,600 candidates the electors will choose 33 Senators, 430 members of the House of Representatives, 32 Governors and a host of other State officials.

It is almost generally agreed that the Democrats will remain in control of the House of Representatives but the Republicans will make some gains. The Republicans base their optimism in the belief that there are growing numbers of voters critical of the administration's conduct of the war both at home and abroad.

THE CAKE A HANG

BELFAST. An amusing situation existed at various United States' army posts in Northern Ireland over United States elections. Notices had been posted on all camp bulletin boards that troops were entitled to vote but not a single vote was cast. The reason was that no voting papers were available. A senior American officer said he had completely forgotten about the election. "I don't even know who the candidates are in my home town", another officer said: "Hell, we don't care who's elected while there's a war on."—Reuter.

In Egypt

Indian Troops Score

Allies Repulse Attacks On Coastal Positions

CAIRO, Nov. 3.

To-day's Middle East joint war 'communique' states: "During the night of November 1|2 heavy enemy attacks on our positions in the coastal area were repulsed and our positions maintained. Further south in the early hours of yesterday our infantry attacked and made an important advance. Many prisoners were taken during these operations. An armoured battle on a considerable scale developed and continued all day. Heavy fighting continues.

A strong force of medium bombers with naval aircraft attacked enemy positions in the battle area continuously during the night of November 1|2. Excellent targets were located and much damage caused. Light bombers which were active during the night, continued their intensive attacks in the battle area yesterday upon enemy concentrations. Fighter aircraft gave protection to our ground forces driving off Stuka formations which attempted to bomb. At least five Junkers 87s were destroyed. During the day six more enemy aircraft were shot down. In a day raid on an enemy landing ground seven hostile aircraft were left in flames and others damaged.

RAID ON TOBRUK AND CRETE

During daylight yesterday heavy bombers carried out successful raid on Tobruk shooting down one enemy aircraft, which attempted to intercept. South-west of Crete bomber aircraft secured two direct hits on two destroyers. In another attack on an escorted convoy north-north-west of Tobruk one medium sized merchant vessel was set on fire and a possible hit is claimed on other vessel.

In Malta one Messerschmitts 109 which succeeded in crossing the coastline was shot down by machine-gun fire in a day of minor air activity.

From the above extensive operations thirteen of our aircraft have not returned.

Role Of Indian Troops

Indian troops at present are playing a very important part in the Eighth Army's determined drive, writes an Indian army observer.

The battle-scared division includes veterans of practically every Mid-Eastern campaign.

The Indians are holding an important and extensive sector of the frontline.

A famous Indian battalion of the Rajputana Rifles, with whom I am at present staying holds ground which till the other day was the enemy's.—Reuter.

GREATEST TANK BATTLE

BERLIN, Nov. 3.

The German News Agency stated to-day: "Gen. Montgomery has thrown in some 500 tanks in the greatest tank battle of the whole African campaign." Despite losses he continued to-day to attempt to pierce the German-Italian front. The Agency added: "Fresh tanks kept advancing into the wedge made into the German and Italian positions. Meantime some British armoured cars made use of gaps in the central defence system to reach the rear of the German-Italian line.—Reuter.

"Not In Public Interest" To Reveal Names Of Jailed Or Detained Members

(From Our Correspondent.)

LAHORE, Nov. 3.

In the Punjab Legislative Assembly to-day, Government refused to give out the names of even Punjab legislators detained or imprisoned in Punjab jails, as, according to the Government, "it is not in public interest to answer this question on the floor of the Assembly".

Sardar Sohansingh Josh wanted to know the names of Punjab legislators and the law under which they had been detained or imprisoned, facilities regarding diet, interviews, supply of books and newspapers given to them.

Government refused to take the House into their confidence with regard to the detention and health of Punjab legislators detained including Mr. Bhimsen Sacher, Leader of the Opposition, and Dewan Chamanlal.

A volley of supplementary questions was put by the Opposition members, but Government stuck to its original reply ignoring them.

The Premier, however, assured the members (according to the Associated Press report) that information on the subject could be supplied privately for their personal benefit.

Allahabad University Union Dissolved

SEQUEL TO PARTICIPATION OF MEMBERS IN PICKETING

President Surrenders After Addressing Meeting

(From Our Correspondent)

ALLAHABAD, November 2.

The Vice-Chancellor of the Allahabad University has passed orders to-day dissolving the Allhahabad University Union.

The order follows the alleged unlawful activities by members of the union. It is stated that certain members of the union participated in picketing the local schools and colleges to-day, when 29 students have been arrested under D. I. R.

PRESIDENT SURRENDERS

ALLAHABAD: The President of the Allahabad University Union surrendered himself to the police this evening after addressing a meeting of the Union.

It is reported that there was a warrant of arrest against him. The surrender is believed to be a protest against the step taken including the dissolution of the University Union.—A

Executive Council Decision

Following a decision of the Executive Council the Vice-Chancellor dissolved the University Union to-day and henceforth no meetings of the Union will be permitted either in the Union building or anywhere in the premises of the University or hostels.

This was a sequel to the Union having held meetings within teaching hours during the last four days at which speeches alleged to be of a prejudicial nature were delivered and where, as the Vice-Chancellor pointed out in his communication to the President of the Union, plans of political action distinct from academic discussion were arranged.

Vice-Chancellor's Letter

The following letter has been addressed by the Vice-Chancellor of the Allahabad University to the President of the University Union following the decision of the Executive Council:—

"The University Union under its constitution is a social and literary club. It has always had complete freedom of discussion. But latterly it has tended to become a centre where plans of political action as distinct from academic discussion are arranged. Meetings have during the past few days decided to suspend payment of University fees make continuous work in the University impossible and to disturb the working of other local educational institutions. The Union has not elected office-bearers now. Its meetings have been held in defiance of the Standing Orders of the University, during teaching hours."

The University Union is hereby dissolved and no meetings of it will be permitted either in the Union building or anywhere in the premises of the University hostels. Any meeting held in breach of this order will not be considered to be a meeting protected by the University."—A. P.

Communist Party's Processions Banned

AMRAOTI, Nov. 3.

The Deputy Commissioner of Amraoti has banned under Section 56 of the Defence of India Rules processions and meetings organised by the local Communist Party in connection with the party's National Unity Week.—A. P.

Dozen Houses Gutted

SURAT, Nov. 3.

Half a dozen houses were gutted by a fire which broke out this evening in Ramder, a suburb of Surat. Damage is estimated at Rs. 10,000.—A. P.

VICE-CHANCELLOR SHOUTED DOWN

Midnight Raid And Arrests In Hostel

(From Our Correspondent)

ALLAHABAD, Nov. 3.

Mr. Amarnath Jha, Vice-Chancellor of the Allahabad University who was to have addressed a meeting of students this morning was hooted and shouted down by students when he rose to speak.

Failing to make himself heard, Mr. Jha dissolved the meeting and left.

It is stated, students demanded that one of their representatives should be allowed to speak at the meeting which Mr. Jha refused.

Shouting slogans, some of the students broke glasses in frames containing photos of the King and Queen hanging in the Senate Hall.

Police searched the rooms of some students residing in Jha Hostel last night at about one a. m.

Four students were arrested.

"PRATAP" APPEAL

Fine Reduced In Sessions

LAHORE, Nov. 3.

Judgment was pronounced today by Mr. D. Falshaw, Sessions Judge, Lahore, in the appeal of Mr. Virendra, Managing Editor of the 'Pratap', an Urdu daily of Lahore, reducing the fine of Rs. 500 to Rs. 100.

Mr. Virendra had been convicted under the Press Emergency Powers Act for publishing two alleged unauthorised newssheets containing the comments of the "National Herald", Lucknow, and the statements of Congress leaders in connection with the order of the Punjab Government imposing pre-censorship on the 'Pratap'.

In the course of the judgment, the Sessions Judge observed that the offending documents constituted unauthorised newssheets. They were covered by Section 2, sub-Section 6 of the Indian Press (Emergency Powers) Act of 1931.

"In the present case", the Sessions Judge added, "There can be no doubt that the action of the Punjab Government in imposing a pre-censorship on the 'Pratap' and the decision of the newspaper to suspend publication until the withdrawal of the Government's order were news and the two offending publications consist almost entirely of comments on this item of news. In the one case comments actually published in the "National Herald" of Lucknow and in the other case from a number of public men."

WHEN "C.M.G." SUPPORTS.

The judge, however, held that the offence was not a very serious one because the first poster was entirely a reproduction of the article in another paper and the second poster contained a protest by the leaders of the Punjab. "It must be conceded," he said, "that the criticism of the Government's action regarding the impracticability of the restrictions imposed received some support in an article by the editor of the 'Civil and Military Gazette,' which is generally regarded as a pro-Government organ. For that reason I don't think that the poster can be described as of very serious nature."—A. P.

Patrol Activity On Indo-Burma Frontier

Punjabi Scouts Open Fire On Enemy Force And Inflict Casualties

NEW DELHI, November 3.

With the cessation of the rains and the gradual diminishing of torrents on the Burma side of the Indo-Burma frontier, patrol activity by both sides is increasing, states a joint war 'communique'. Japanese, and small bands of hostile Burmans under Japanese direction, have been endeavouring to push out parties on the fringes of our forward patrol areas in an effort to terrorise the local population, to obtain information and to restrict the activities of our own patrols.

There has been little actual contact between any of our forces and the enemy's, but for a brief minor scrap between one of our Guerilla parties and a small body of Japanese on the eastern range of the Chin Hills which resulted in the enemy suffering casualties without loss to our party.

Similar signs of Japanese uneasiness have been apparent in what has hitherto been no-man's land betwen Akyab and the Indian border. A scouting party of Punjabis opened fire on an enemy force just north of Maungdaw and without loss to themselves, inflicted casualties on the Japanese. The R. A. F. continues to give air support to our forward patrols by harassing the enemy with machine-gun and bombing attacks. In addition attacks on enemy aerodromes and communications are being maintained.—A. P.

STOP PRESS

BOMB EXPLOSIONS IN VICHY

LONDON, Nov. 3.

The German radio states that three bombs exploded in Vichy early on Tuesday morning. It says that the first occurred in front of Petain's Committee for Social Propaganda causing only insignificant damage, the second, an hour later exploded before the office of the French Peoples Movement (Dorict Party) injuring a policeman and the third outside a recruiting office for Frenchmen volunteering for work in Germany "prevented in the nick of time".—Reuter.

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Information should be given to the nearest Police Station or any official of the Railway.

G. C. LAUGHTON,
General Manager,
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TRAFFIC MANAGER.

Bombay, 3rd November, 1942.

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IT IS HEREBY NOTIFIED for the information of the public that the following new Rule I-A is added to Part II of the General Rules:—

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(2241)

G. I. P. RLY.
Rate Circulars

A NEW RATE CIRCULAR viz., Supplement to Foreign Rate Circular No. 5 (Goods & Coaching) of 1942 has been issued.

Particulars may be obtained from the Chief Traffic Manager, Bombay, or Stations. 2266

BOMBAY PORT TRUST RAILWAY

NOTICE

DEMURRAGE ON WAGONS
REFERENCE: B. P. T. RAILWAY GOODS TARIFF N. 4, PARA 103 (g).

IN supersession of the working hours intimated in my advertisement in this newspaper of the 30th June, 1942, in accordance with para 103 (x) I hereby give notice that with effect from the 9th November, 1942, the "Working hours" in PRIVATE and PUBLIC SIDINGS will be from 8 to 19 hours (8 a.m. to 7 p.m. A. S. T.) on all days without exception.

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H. A. GAYDON,
Manager.

Nicol Road, Fort,
Bombay, 4th November, 1942.
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IT IS HEREBY NOTIFIED that the office of the Bank will be SHIFTED to RAHIMTOOLA HOUSE, HOMJI STREET, FORT, BOMBAY, (Next to our present premises) and business will be transacted at the new premises on and from THURSDAY, the 5th November, 1942. The hours of business will be from 10-30 A.M. to 3-30 P.M.

H. R. RAO,
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LOST

LOST SHARE CERTIFICATES IN THE BELAPUR COMPANY, LTD.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Share Certificate in respect of Five (5) Ordinary Shares numbered 39160 to 39164 (inclusive) of the Belapur Company, Ltd., standing in the name of Miss Rachel John Joseph and Dr. Zerubbabel John Joseph of Bombay, have been lost, misplaced or destroyed, and any claim in respect of these Shares should be notified to Company at their registered Office, Royal Insurance Building, Churchgate Street, Bombay, within one month from the date hereof otherwise duplicate Share Certificate will be issued irrespective of any claim in respect thereof.

Dated this 3rd day of Nov., 1942.
RACHEL JOHN JOSEPH
and
ZERUBBABEL JOHN JOSEPH
16d

Legal Notices

NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that HAJI ZAKERIA DAWOOD SULEMAN of Bombay Mahomedan Inhabitant has contracted to sell the undermentioned leasehold property to our client free from encumbrances. All persons having any claim against or to the said property by way of inheritance, mortgage, sale, gift, lease, lien, charge, trust, maintenance, easement or otherwise howsoever are hereby required to make the same known in writing to the undersigned at their Office at Yusuf Building, Churchgate Street, Fort, Bombay, within 14 days from the date hereof, otherwise the sale will be completed without reference to such claim and the same, if any, will be considered as waived.

THE SCHEDULE OF THE PROPERTY

ALL that piece of leasehold land together with the building standing thereon containing an area of Six Hundred and Seventy (670) square yards or thereabouts situate on and being Plot No. 42 of the Suparibaug Estate of the Municipal Corporation in the City and Island and Sub-registration District of Bombay and bounded on the North-East by Plot No. 41 of the said Estate leased to Miss Avenbai Manekji Mehta, on the South-East by Plot No. 67 of the said Estate leased to the Trustees of the Gokhale Education Society, on the South-West by Dr. Batliwalla Road and on the North-West by a Road Twenty-six Feet in width which piece of land forms portion of New Survey No. 2588 and bears Cadastral Survey No. 157/74, Parel-Sewri Division and assessed by the Assessor and Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes under Municipal F Ward No. 582(3) and Street Nos. 22 and 9.

Dated this 2nd day of November, 1942.
NAGINDAS HOOSEINALLY & CO.,
Purchaser's Attorneys.
2258.

Public Notices

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LOST TEMPORARY RECEIPTS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Temporary Receipts No. 31263 and 31427 in respect of 2015 Ordinary Shares Nos. 102720 to 102734, 328206 to 328210 and 143009 to 143013 respectively of the Bombay Electric Supply and Tramways Co., Ltd. standing in the name of Bai Fatambai Dawoodbhoy have been lost, mislaid or destroyed, any claim in respect of these shares should be notified to the Company at their registered office, Electric House, Post Fort, Bombay, No. 1, within 15 days from the date hereof, otherwise duplicate temporary receipts will be issued irrespective of any claim in respect thereof.

Dated, 4-11-1942.
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Legal Notices

NOTICE

ON BEHALF of our clients JAYKUMAR RAMKRISHNA THAKUR, JAYNANDA RAMKRISHNA THAKUR and JAYDATTA RAMKRISHNA THAKUR, the heirs of Radhabai, wife of Ramkrishna Bhai Thakur, deceased, this is to give notice to the public that neither the estate of the late Mr. Ramchandra Kashinath nor Mr. Ramrao Ramchandra Thakur has any interest either as mortgagee or in any other capacity in the immovable property at Supari Baug Road, Parel, more particularly described in the Schedule hereto. The advertisement published over the signature of Messrs. Ghandhi and Co., Auctioneers at the instance of Mr. Ramrao Ramchandra Thakur in the "Nava Kal" of the 1st instant and other papers announcing the sale of the said property by Public Auction under the purported Power of Sale in the Mortgage, dated 27th May, 1927, therein referred to is unauthorised and does not disclose the correct facts. The amount of the Mortgage and all interest due under the said Deed of Mortgage has been paid off out of the rents and profits of the property while the mortgagee was in possession of the property from 1st September, 1931 to 31st July, 1938, as will also appear from a Declaration, dated 17-12-1940 of the satisfaction of the aforesaid Mortgage which has been registered under Serial No. 5607 of 1940 and in consequence thereof the said Jaykumar Ramkrishna Thakur, Jayananda Ramkrishna Thakur and Jaydatta Ramkrishna Thakur were given possession of the said property by the said Ramrao Ramchandra Thakur on the 31st of July, 1938, and since then our clients have been in uninterrupted and peaceful possession of the said property. If any person purports to purchase the said property or any interest therein either from the said Estate of Mr. Ramchandra Kashinath Thakur or from the said Ramrao Ramchandra Thakur at the purported Auction Sale of the said property, on the 5th instant he will do so entirely at his own risk as to costs and consequences, and he will not acquire any interest in the said property.

SCHEDULE

ALL that piece or parcel of land of the foras tenure, situated at Supari Baug Road, Parel, in the Registration Sub-District of Bombay, containing by admeasurement 213-66 square yards or thereabouts with the buildings thereon and registered by the Collector of Land Revenue (Together with other land of the Lessors) under New Survey No. 1/2600 Cadastral Survey No. 96, Parel-Sewri Division and assessed by the Municipality under F Ward No. 200(1), Street No. 184 to 194 bounded, on or towards the North by the property of the Lessor, on or towards the East by the Supari Baug Road, on or towards the South by the land of the Bombay City Improvement Trust and on or towards the West partly by the land of the said Bombay City Improvement Trust and partly by the property of the Lessors.

Dated this 2nd day of November, 1942.

for Messrs. JEHANGIR AND SEERVAI,
Attorneys for Mr. Jaykumar Ramkrishna Thakur and ors.
2262.

Auction Sales

BENNETT & CO.

AUCTION SALE of Property at Dadar Portuguese Church Road, TO-DAY WEDNESDAY the 4th November, 1942, at 4 p.m. (S. T.) at the premises.

Under instructions from Mr. Meghraj Rajaji and on account and at the risk of the abovementioned Mortgagors and pursuant to the power of sale vested under the Indenture of Mortgage dated 4th May, 1928, all that piece of Pension and Tax land admeasuring abt. 585 Sq. Yds. bearing Cadastral Survey No. 1489, Municipal "G" Ward St. Nos 649-650.

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Auction sale under instructions of the party concerned on Thursday, 5th November, 1942 at 3-15 p.m. (New S.T.) at the room of the undersigned:—

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The following candidates have passed the M. B. B. S. Examination which was held under the University of Bombay in October.

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All-India Weather

POONA, Nov. 3.

Following is the weather chart showing the maximum and the minimum temperatures and rainfall recorded at 8 hours on 30-10-42:

Allahabad 92 61 nil; Bombay 92 77 nil; Calcutta 90 72 nil; Cawnpore 91 60 nil; Cuttack 89 75 nil; Darjeeling 65 50 nil; Delhi 89 61 nil; Dehra Dun 83 56 nil; Jacobabad 92 53 nil; Karachi 89 74 nil; Lahore 88 58 nil; Lucknow 91 57 nil; Madras 89 76 nil; Nagpur 85 73 nil; Patna 91 69 nil; Peshawar 87 58 nil; Shillong 74 49 nil.—A.P.

Dr. R. D. Kamath, M.B.B.S., has announced his intention to stand as a candidate for election to the Senate of the Bombay University in the ensuing bye-election to be held in December.

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Hightide: 8-12, 21-00 Lowtide 1-50, 15-00

AMUSEMENTS OF THE DAY

CAPITOL—"Son of Fury" 4, 6-30 and 9-30
EXCELSIOR—"You Belong to Me" 3-30, 6-30 and 9-30 p.m.
REGAL—"To The Shores of Tripoli" 4, 6-30 and 9-30 p.m.
SWASTIK—"Roti" 3-45, 6-45 and 10 p.m.
METRO—"Two Gun Cupid" 3-30, 6-30 and 9-30 p.m.
BROADWAY—"My Eyes" 4-30, 7-15 and 10
ROXY—"Bijlhan" 3-30, 6-30 and 9-30 p.m.
MINERVA—"Bhakta Kabir" 3-30, 6-30 and 9-30 p.m.
NOVELTY—"Badal" 4, 7 and 10 p.m.
EDWARD—"Badal" 4, 7 and 10 p.m.
CHITRA—"Baghi" 4-15, 7 and 9-45 p.m.
CITY LIGHT—"Nartaki" 4-30, 7-15 and 10
KOHINOOR—"Station Master" 4, 7 and 10
MAJESTIC—"Basant" 3-30, 6-30 and 9-30.
SUPER—"Mamaji" 4-15, 7 and 9-45
NEW WEST END—"Khan Baan" 3-30, 6-30 and 9-30 p.m.
OPERA HOUSE—"Chandni" 4, 7 and 10
PALACE—"The Trial of Mary Dugan" 4, 6-30 and 10 p.m.
AURORA—Bede Show 4, 6-30 and 10 p.m.
PLAZA—"Jhoola" 4, 7 and 10 p.m.
KRISHNA—"State Guests" 3, 6-15 and 9-30
IMPERIAL—"Jawab" 4, 7 and 10
STRAND—"Sergeant York" 3-30, 6-30 and 9-30 p.m.

Domestic Occurrence

BIRTH

FARIAS—To Cecilia, nee'Vas, wife of D. A. Farias, at Dr. Patrao's Hospital on 3rd November, a baby girl.

TELEGRAPH NOTIFICATION: "Telegrams to New Delhi, Karachi and their adjacent areas are subject to serious delay due to line disturbances."

DADAR SARVAJANIK VACHANALAYA: This Vachanalaya was re-opened for ladies from 1st inst. The time will be from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. (N.S.T.)

UNITED LODGE OF THEOSOPHISTS: A public Study Class on "General Principles" from An Epitome of Theosophy by W. Q. Judge, will be held to-day (Wednesday), at 6-15 p.m. at Jehangir Wadia Building, Opp. Flora Fountain.

RUSSIAN REVOLUTION: On behalf of the Indian Federation of Labour etc., there will be a public meeting to celebrate the Russian Revolution Week, at Colaba Mills, on the Victoria Bunder Road, at 6-30 p.m. to-day, (Wednesday).

NATIONAL SAVINGS BANK LTD: "The Chairman and members of General Board of Directors announce to the public that the Government of India (Finance Dept.) New Delhi, by Notification dated 22-10-1942 has direct inclusion of our Bank to Reserve Bank of India Act, 1934."

JAILED FOR SOLICITING

Bombay, Tuesday.

In typical Piccadily manner, Miss Ilene Smith solicited for customers last night at Landsdown Road and succeeded in getting one but she caught a Tartar in the customer for the latter was no other than Sub-Inspector Hales, who was on the look-out for such characters.

Mr. Oscar Brown, Chief Presidency Magistrate sentenced her to one day's simple imprisonment and to pay a fine of Rs. 50.

I. C. I. CLERK DISCHARGED

R. K. Doraswami, a clerk of the Imperial Chemical Industries Ltd. was discharged to-day by the Chief Presidency Magistrate on an application made by the police.

The accused was arrested in connection with the theft of telephone diaphgrams from the company. The police stated that there was no evidence to place the accused on a charge-sheet.

TALK OF THE SUBURBS

(BY A SUBURBAN MAN.)

The resignation of Congressmen, Mr. Ratanchand Seshmal "B" Ward, Mrs. M. S. Jhabwalla "E" Ward, Mr. Vasant B. Kirtikar "G" Ward and Mrs. Gangaben Patel "H" Ward from the Bandra Municipal Board recently, has caused re-election, which is fixed for Sunday November 22.

The last day for nomination papers for election was Friday, and the nomination papers were scrutinised on Saturday morning, before a large gathering of interested citizens.

Mr. John Richard Fernandes was declared elected in the "B" Ward, Mrs. M. S. Jhabwalla was again elected in "E" Ward and Mr. Chunilal Javerchand Shah was elected in the "G" Ward. There is to be a contest between two candidates in the "H" Ward. The two nominations received for this ward are those of Mrs. Olive Pinto and Mr. Mankad Janantilal Naredlal. The election of this ward is fixed for November 22. The counting of votes will take place on November 23 at the Municipal Hall, Bandra from 9 a.m. The polling booth for this ward is Municipal School No. 12 122, Ghodbunder Road, Santa Cruz.

The dead body of a young woman Sabai Raghuram Jadav was removed from a well at Sherly, Bandra.

DR. AMBEDKAR IN CITY

BOMBAY, Tuesday.

A huge crowd composed mostly of members of the Depressed Classes virtually laid seige to the Bombay Central Station this morning to receive Dr. B. R. Ambedkar, Labour Member of the Government of India, who arrived by the Frontier Mail.

The garlanding ceremony over the doctor drove to his residence at Dadar where another crowd awaited his arrival.

It is understood that Dr. Ambedkar will leave for Mahad on November 10 and return three days later.

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BRITAIN BLOCKS THE WAY

Following the "Daily Herald", the "New Statesman and Nation" welcomes Mr. C. Rajagopalachari's constitutional scheme and his offer to proceed to England to canvass support for it. Says the paper: "We wish we could be sure that facilities and welcome would be extended to this able and courageous man. His plan errs—if it has a fault—on the side of over-elaboration, but in essentials stresses what must certainly be done and done without delay. He has confident belief that the Congress and the Muslim League would accept the plan. We owe to India, ourselves and the United Nations to give him a chance.' The plan is not meant to be something to be accepted as it is or rejected but only as a basis for negotiations. These pre-suppose willingness on the part of Britain to transfer power to India. As there has been no sign so far of any official welcome to Rajaji's plan or his offer to convince Britain of its soundness, it must be presumed that the British Government is not yet willing to consider any plan of transfer of power.

Rajaji's Aim

Nor has Rajaji's plan received from the Muslim League the support he expected. Mr. Jinnah is too superior to consider the plan specifically. He only dismisses all such plans as "kite-flying." With his pathetic faith in sheer repetition he adds: "Any scheme which involves fundamental changes in the existing constitution or laws of India or which militates in any way against or prejudices or prejudges the Muslim demand for Pakistan will never be accepted by us nor would any scheme which establishes Hindu majority domination and hegemony supported by foreign bayonets." We can understand Mr. Jinnah's suspicion against any scheme which may prejudice the claim of Pakistan. But why does he object to "any scheme which involves fundamental changes in the existing constitution"? Is he as enamoured of the present position as are Amery & Co.? If so, the charge of relying on foreign bayonets is rather misplaced. However, we shall charitably assume that what he really means is that he objects, not to evety fundamental change but to such as may prejudice the demand for Pakistan. Then the question arises whether a provisional Government cannot be devised which will enjoy real power but will not prejudice the Pakistan demand of the League. That is precisely Rajaji's aim and his plan is or can be made capable of achieving this double purpose.

Release The Leaders

It appears, however, that some Muslim Leaguers are not sufficiently reassured by Mr. Jinnah being asked to add any number of Leaguers to five members of the Congress to form the National Government. They fear that even a majority of Leaguers in the Cabinet will be at the mercy of the Legislature with its Hindu majority and may at any time be removed from office. But, as Rajaji points out, an agreement between the parties being the very basis of a National Government, and as the alternative to such a Government will be a split and may mean going back to the present position, the fear entertained by the Leaguers is quite imaginary. Secondly, additional safeguards can be provided for the protection of the minorities such as the National Government, formed by agreement, being removable only by a two-thirds majority. There are other possible safeguards, too, but these are best discussed at an informal meeting between Rajaji and a few representatives of the League. We have no doubt Rajaji will help to bring about such a meeting provided Government first indicate their readiness to accept an agreed constitution. Moreover, such a meeting can only be a useful prelude to a more representative meeting including Congress leaders. But no such meeting is possible unless Government release Congress leaders. The next step, therefore, clearly rests with Government. The "New Statesman and Nation" rightly remarks: "The excuse that Indians must take the next step is not even plausible. How can they while we refuse access to imprisoned Congress leaders?" The war has already begun on Indian soil. The absence of a National Government may mean terrible disasters here. Britain may continue to be complacent but it behoves Indians to do everything in their power to get Britain to consent to India's demand. That means something more than constitution-making.

Eighth Army's Operations

Friday night's operations on the Egyptian front did constitute a slight break through resulting in a small part of Rommel's forces being trapped in the northern sector. It is not yet certain whether the net will hold the catch, which in any case is not big. But if the trapped forces are successfully accounted for, General Montgomery will have scored an important point. If, however, they escape westward, nothing really will be lost. For as the picture of operations has emerged so far, the British Command's main strategy is to make short advances between longer periods of consolidation of gains and all the time to wear down the enemy by forcing him to make unsuccessful counter-attacks and by subjecting his defences and his rear to an incessant pounding by ground artillery and aerial bombing. In view of the narrowness of the front and the extreme depth of Field Marshal Rommel's defences this is obviously the best strategy.

And while the fight will be long and tough, General Montgomery ought to win eventually because the main condition of success is resources which, we believe, he possesses in ample measure. Another important condition is simultaneous inteference with Rommel's supply line which, too, is being—or at least has been so far—effectively carried out by Allied submarines and aircraft. Altogether, while progress is extremely slow, it yet continues regularly and it is possible to hope that the initiative will remain usefully with the British. Incidentally, where are General Montgomery's "desert patrols"? This is the time for them to become active. And if Admiral Harwood also contributes a couple of good raids, the "desert patrols" and naval units can between them help the main operations in an appreciable measure. In any case the Admiral can immediately help in reducing the enemy pocket in the north.

Kokoda Recaptured

What was much too good to hope for has actually happened. General MacArthur announces the recapture by Australian troops of Kokoda, the vital Japanese base north of the Owen Stanley mountain in New Guinea. The news recalls to mind the days some months ago when the Japanese landing at Buna unchallenged carried all before them and drove right to the foot of the Owen Stanley range. It was a pathetic situation for the Allies and grew positively grave when the Japs achieved the unexpected feat of crossing the mountain to march upto within forty miles of Port Moresby. Now Kokoda is again in Allied hands. This is an important event because it was the only inland base for the Japs between Buna on the coast and the Owen Stanley. The fact that they did not make a serious fight for it is a significant indication of their weakness. What is it due to? It is, of course, obvious that Australia and America, caught unprepared in the beginnings have now been able to bring into battle considerable resources in men and equipment. But an equally great proportion of credit for the success is due to the remarkable work of the Air Forces in destroying Japanese resources. If General MacArthur's supply arrangements continue to work smoothly, he can, with the powerful assistance of his air force, eject the Japs from Buna also in a very short time. Already that air force has struck a big blow at the Japs by smashing the convoy which was bringing reinforcements to them.

Frankly Speaking

Neutrality Reiterated

Opening the session of the Turkish Parliament President Ineunu correctly forecast that "in 1943 the war will take still harsher and crueller forms." It is the year which should see the United Nations' offensive on its way to decisive victory, provided, of course, they get going now. As an indirect but decidedly helpful contribution to this offensive President Ineunu has again reiterated his country's determination to remain neutral. This determination is helpful because Turkey's neutrality effectively bars to Germany an important strategic road to the Middle East and, therefore, to the gates of India and to the rear of Russia and General Alexander. Another observation of President Ineunu ranges Turkey politically on the side of the United Nations when he refers to the post-war right of every nation to live independently in its own part of the world. This is a principle which the United Nations profess. But the question is whether they also mean to practise it unreservedly.

Generalissimo's Speech

Closing the first plenary session of the third People's Political Council—China's Parliament—Generalissimo Chiang-Kai-Shek made a speech which must inspire the Chinese people and the friends of China with confidence in the future of that great country and the war in which it is engaged. He also made a number of observations in connection with the surrender by America and Britain of extra-territorial rights which bear a meaning for and a warning to the Imperialist Powers. The passionate sentiments of national pride and self-respect which have been gratified by the Anglo-American move and for the vindication of which China has been fighting one of the most magnificent wars in history, are shared by other countries in Asia suffering humiliation. Justice and commonsense both demand that America, Britain and Holland should realize the force of these sentiments and yield to them.

Intriguing

What was feared has happened and a European has been appointed as a Deputy Chairman of the Bombay Port Trust. With Europeans and officials being in a majority on the Board the decision was perhaps inevitable, especially when the Chairman himself had urged the appointment of a European. But the Trustees might have at least accepted the fair proposition that the post should be advertised. There would then have been a straight contest and the European was free to win by merit. Why was the amendment rejected? Is it because the European might not win by merit? The whole affair is extremely intriguing.

A Packed Body

If those concerned thought that the hole and corner methods by which the so-called Indian delegation to the Pacific Relations Conference was packed would go unchallenged they did not reckon with Pandit Hridaynath Kunzru, whose statement on the subject has exposed the whole show. It appears from the statement that either the Indian Branch of the Institute of International Affairs was not invited to send a delegation or that, if an invitation was sent through Sir Ramaswami Mudaliar, the Chairman of the Indian Branch, it was not so much as communicated to the Council of that body and that the Council had nothing to do with the delegation and that four members of the delegation, including the Secretary, are not even members of the Institute. If non-members could be delegates an abler body than the one nominated by Sir Ramaswami could easily have been formed. As the delegates, though nominees of an official, are likely to carry on pro-Government propaganda abroad in the name of India we endorse Pandit Kunzru's suggestion that a strong public protest must be registered against the delegation.

JAP CONVOY ROUTED OFF BUNA IN NEW GUINEA

ALLIES CAPTURE KOKODA: U. S. MARINES ADVANCE IN GUADALCANAR

LONDON, Nov. 3.

Allied Headquarters, South-West Pacific:

It is officially announced that a very large Japanese convoy has been routed at Buna, New Guinea.

KOKODA CAPTURED

Allied Headquarters, South-West Pacific: Allied ground forces have captured Kokoda.

JAP CONVOY DRIVEN NORTH

The text of the 'communique' of Tuesday says: "BUNA: The enemy unsuccessfully attempted to land large reinforcements on the northern coast of New Guinea near Buna. The convoy consisted of two large transports of approximately 12,000 and 10,000 tons respectively loaded with troops estimated at 7,000. They were escorted by a light cruiser and a destroyer and covered by nine "Zero" fighters. Our bombers attacked and scored many near misses, which caused damage. Five "Zeros" were destroyed and the convoy retired to the north.

In mid-afternoon our medium bombers attacked and scored near hits on both transports. Two bombs hit within 15 feet of the port bow of one transport and another two bombs hit within 25 feet of the other transport. At dusk our heavy bombers struck again off the south coast of New Britain scoring a direct hit on one transport and many near hits on both transports. The convoying vessels were heavily strafed by machinegun fire. All our planes returned."

OWEN STANLEY AREA: We have captured Kokoda and are pursuing the retreating enemy towards Oivi.

TIMOR: Strong formation of medium bombers attacked the town of Dilli occupied by the enemy. Destruction was heavy. Another force attacked enemy installations in the village of Borneo. Barracks and buildings were hit and fires started and enemy personnel was strafed. All our planes returned.

From Reuter's special correspondent at an advanced base in the South-West Pacific:

Forward advanced elements of Allied forces entered Kokoda in New Guinea early yesterday morning. The occupation was completed by afternoon. Our advance from Ioribaiwa only took 35 days, compared with the 44 taken by the Japanese during their southward advance in the opposite direction.

Allied troops consisting of experienced units which had fought in Libya, Syria, Greece and Crete found a scene of desolation when they entered the once picturesque village of Kokoda. Houses and huts were in ruins as a result of recent heavy strafing. All buildings around the airfield had been destroyed.

It can now be revealed that Allied patrols were in Kokoda area for a week and on the night of October 25 one patrol passed through Japanese lines returning with valuable information.

JAPS WON'T GIVE UP NEW GUINEA

The extent of Japanese concern over their progressive reversals in New Guinea can be gauged by the major attempt to land large-scale reinforcements yesterday, which was successfully frustrated by a series of smashing attacks by Allied Air Forces. This factor is linked with recent reinforcements of Japanese "Zero" fighters in the New Guinea area. The official view is that the Japanese have no intention of giving up New Guinea. It is expected that the Australians' steady advance will be opposed with everything the Japanese can muster.

United States headquarters S. W. Pacific:—Unable to bring down a single "Flying Fortress" during two months of aerial warfare in the Solomons, the Japanese are trying a new technique. They are bombing the bombers. "Zeros" fly a thousand feet above the "Fortresses" and aim bombs at them but not a hit has yet been scored. And American gunners have found the "Zeros" easy targets at that distance.

U. S. MARINES CROSS MATANIKAU RIVER

WASHINGTON, Nov. 2.

Navy Department communique on Monday night says; "South Pacific.

On Guadalcanar Island a small force of United States Marines supported by Boeing "Flying Fortresses" crossed the Matanikau river and attacked the enemy to the west.

One wave of Marines made an advance of two miles with comparatively few casualties.

The Japanese are reported to be retreating slowly."

CHINESE PLANES RAID HANKOW

CHUNGKING, Nov. 3.

One of three Chinese bomber squadrons which raided Hankow on Sunday night dropped high explosives on Japanese military establishments, according to an official announcement. The raiders dropped incendiaries which started many fires and the damage is believed to be heavy. The second and third bomber squadrons attacked supply depots and warehouses on the waterfront in the Japanese concession. The raiders were met by anti-aircraft fire but not challenged by Japanese fighters.

ATTACK ON NANCHANG REPULSED

A 'communique' on Monday night stated: "Japanese troops west of Nanchang, capital of the Kiangsi Province, attacked at dawn on October 26 but were repulsed. Japanese with field guns launched an attack near Paotou in western Suiyuan."—Reuter.

BR. PARLIAMENTARY MISSION TO CHINA

NEW DELHI, Nov. 3.

The British Parliamentary Mission to China has arrived in New Delhi. The Mission consists of Lord Revoit Lord Allwyn, Mr. H. J. Scrymneour Wedderburn, M. P. and Mr J. J. Lawson, M.P.—United Press.

Japs Will Come Back, Says Knox

WASHINGTON, Nov. 3.

The United States Navy Secretary, Col. Knox to-day attacked excessive optimism regarding the Solomons battle. "There is no warrant for optimism—we know that they have a fleet of formidable proportions left and we do not doubt that they will come back." He said:

Col. Knox announced the sinking of further two Japanese cruisers by United States forces in the battle off Savo Island on the night of October 11/12. Five Japanese destroyers and three cruisers were sunk during the battle.

The Navy "Communique" regarding that engagement reported only one Japanese cruisers, four destroyers and a transport sunk.—Reuter.

"LEADERS MUST BE RELEASED"

About 40 Street-Corner Meetings In City

BOMBAY, Tuesday.

Nearly 40 street corner meetings were held to-day in various parts of the Mill area, when labour leaders made their emphatic protest against the detention of the Indian political leaders.

Messrs. Jhambekar, Oak and Bhogle spoke at a meeting held at Niagaum in order to observe the "Release-Day". Mr. P. V. Savant presided.

The speakers said that the only way in which the subversive and "fifth column" activities going on at present could be stopped, was by releasing the Congress leaders as their words would have great weight.

It was also necessary to release them as they alone could mobilise Indian opinion for the defence of the country.

LEAGUE ELECTIONS ON SATURDAY

LAHORE, Nov. 3.

The provincial League elections will take place on the 7th November. All District Leagues except Mianwali District have proposed Nawab of Mamdote's name for the presidentship during the ensuing year. Mianwali district has proposed the name of Mr. Abdus Sattar Niazi. It is interesting to recall that Mr. Niazi opposed the League candidate in the Punjab Assembly election for Lahore city constituency and forfeited his deposit obtaining only two votes.—Orient Press.

In Caucasus

NAZIS CAPTURE NALCHIK

Red Guards Hold Back Germans From Volga Bank

MOSCOW, Nov. 3.

A supplement to Tuesday morning's "Communique" announces that Germans were thrown out of several buildings in one factory district of Stalingrad. Russians repulsed several attacks and consolidated recently reoccupied positions.

On Stalingrad's southern outskirts fortified forts and blockhouses were destroyed and one enemy battalion was wiped out.

From north-west of Stalingrad the only incident reported was a successful night raid.

IN CAUCASUS

The supplement reports heavy defensive battles south-east of Nalchik in the Caucasus and admits that Russian units were pressed back somewhat after the Germans had launched three attacks.

North-east of the Black Sea port of Tuapse, Russian troops dislodged the invaders from several positions and reccupied several heights capturing a number of prisoners and inflicting heavy casualties.

NO GAIN TO NAZIS

From Reuter's special correspondent:

The Red Guard fighting not far from the Volga, repelled a number of attacks and prevented the Germans from getting nearer the coveted riverbank.

Throughout yesterday, as on Sunday, the Soviet troops continued to drive the Germans back in north-east Tuapse with severe losses for the latter. Soviet troops have driven out the Germans from a series of fortified points and have occupied a region and unnamed heights and taken booty and prisoners. The Red Army is again well established in the mountains and holding a tactically important range.

Fall Of Nalchik

The Germans staged no less than seven counter-attacks yesterday in this sector in order to divert Soviet forces from a basic portion of the Novorossisk-Tuapse front, states the "Red Star." Nalchik is on fire.

Owing to crushing superiority of men and specially tanks and planes which the Germans switched from the Mozdok front in order to overwhelm the relatively small Soviet force guarding the rail and valley to Nalchik, Nalchik has fallen.

The Germans are pushing on in a south-easterly going to Grozny and Makhachkla.

The Germans yesterday captured a village after the fiercest all-day fighting in which they lost 47 tanks, 11 planes and over a battalion of motorised infantry.

NOVOROSSISK

Novorossisk and port Tsemessk Bay area are under constant Soviet artillery, trench-mortar and machine-gun fire and cannot be used by the Germans. Though over a month and a half has passed since Novorossisk fell, the Germans are not yet masters of the city. The great cement factories lying on the eastern outskirts of Novorossisk are still held by Soviet troops and used as observation posts and direction of their artillery fire. Soviet patrols are active throughout the area covered by these factories.

TIMOSHENKO'S PROGRESS

The latest messages from Marshal Timoshenko's relief army state that fierce battles are continuing north-west of Stalingrad where the Germans are trying to regain lost positions.

Berlin Communique

The Berlin "Communique" says that attacks and counter-attacks in the Western Caucasus have led to bitter fighting.

In Stalingrad heavy offensive fighting for blockhouses and roads continue.—Reuter.

Rajaji On Bhai Parmanand's Statement

MADRAS, Nov. 3.

Interviewed on Mr. Bhai Paramanand's statement, Mr. C. Rajagopalachari said: "It may be paradoxical but it is true that a proposal which no single party is satisfied with, but, which all parties, including the British Government object to, not on the same or similar grounds, but from different and contrary angles, is very likely the best solution for all concerned. The question really is whether we want a solution or not! Will some one tell me how the present difficulties may be overcome otherwise? It will not do to say let things stand as they are".—A. P.

FROM SECRET RADIO STATIONS

By DR. LISTENER.

(FROM GERMANY). A lack of drug and medicines is now prevailing in Germany and the doctors who refuse to treat the patients because of lack of medicines are thrown in the concentration camps like Dr. Hari in Munich. The leader of the "Health Service" Herr Brand assembled the other day all chemists and doctors and told them: "Unfortunately is it true, we have not drugs and medicines because of the British blockade. But that must be kept in secret in order not to alarm the people and the sick men. Every doctor is obliged to treat every patient, otherwise he will be at once severely punished. But the patient will see medicine. Thus we have ordered to produce a universal medicine-Ersatz in mass, which, to be true has no healing value, but is indifferent and not harmful, and can be prescribed without danger for every illness in order to quieten the patients instead of alarming them with such foolish irresponsible declaration not to be able to treat them without medicines. This mass-medicine-Ersatz will now fill all chemist's shops which were till now sold out and empty."

OUR READERS' VIEWS

"Proselytizing In Sophia College"

To The Editor of "The Chronicle"

Sir,—As a member of the Senate of the University, and as one interested in the higher education of women, I was much concerned to learn about the recent proselytising activities in the St. Sophia College for Women. I believe that religion is a personal matter: and for that very reason I strongly object to any educational institution carrying on such activities.

Education should be so liberal and broadly-based as to enable a person to think for herself or himself what is good for her or his soul. Any institution working in the field of education, which tries to inculcate in the immature minds of young students entrusted to its care the dogmas of a particular religion is, therefore, sabotaging the very idea of true education. Is it not, then, the duty of educational authorities concerned to bring to book institutions like this College which are not fulfilling their proper functions? The authorities of the University of Bombay would be failing in their duty if they do not take cognisance of what is going on in the St. Sophia College.

Such activities, I fear, will give a set back to women's education. Most parents will think twice before sending their daughters to such a college. Those in charge of the college have, I think, definitely done a disservice to the cause of women's higher education. I feel this the more since I had welcomed the idea of this college, when it was first broached to me by some of the organisers here, during my office as Parliamentary Secretary to the Government of Bombay for education, in spite of the fact that I have always been a staunch advocate of co-education. I had felt, however, and feel even now, the necessity of a separate college for women, till such time as people in general are prepared to accept co-education as the right thing, for a large majority of parents today do not like to send their daughters to mixed colleges; and would rather keep them without the benefits of higher education, than send them to co-educational institutions.

There are, perhaps, some who, because they think the same way that a separate college for women is necessary, would not like to see any harm being done to this college. But such an attitude would perpetuate a greater evil. The better course for them would be to help in organising a college for women as suggested by you in your editorial, which would be entirely free from such elements which hold the belief that for every individual they convert to their faith they go nearer to heaven.—Yours etc.,

HANSA MEHTA.

Kambatta Hall,
Altamount Road,
Bombay, No. 3.

TÊTE-A-TÊTE

WITHOUT COMMENT—

WASHINGTON, November 2.

The proclamation of a Jewish commonwealth was advocated by Senator Magner and Thomas and the establishment of a Jewish national home in Palestine by Mr. Willkie at a mass meeting under the auspices of the American Jewish Committee. Rabbi Wise declared that the Jews should be represented at the peace conference.—Reuter.

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Communist Party processions in connection with "National Unity Week" are reported to have been banned in Amraoti under the Defence of India Rules.

They certainly would have been subversive of the Defence of India and the War Effort.

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"India must earn its place in that world with effort and sacrifice equal to those which the rest of the United Nations are making"—Anglo-India.

But not with rights and status equal to those which the rest of the United Nations are enjoying.

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Following promptly on Mr. Jinnah's ban on "kite-flying", Bhai Paramananda has now solemnly warned Mr. C. Rajagopalachari against proceeding to England "to secure the transfer of power to the League."

And yet there are people who believe that Hindu-Muslim Unity doesn't exist in India.

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Mr. (now the Hon. Mr.) M. Gazdar hopefully believes that the fact that the Sind Ministerial question did not appear on the agenda either of the Muslim League Council or of its Working Committee meetings is significant.

Even Mr. Jinnah ought not to treat the Sind question with such utter contempt, although we are glad that the significant fact, has removed Mr. Gazdar's anxiety.

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According to a press report Doctor Ambedkar, arrived in Bombay on Tuesday morning, and was given a great reception.

We did hear some rumbles. But we thought it was A. A. firing practice.

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Allied troops have recaptured Kokoda, says the latest report.

At the first sight we read Kalewa for Kokoda. We don't know why.

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The Paris radio, says Reuter, has broadcast a sharp attack on Marshal Petain and his immediate advisers by M. Marcel Deat, M. Laval's Fascist rival.

This is, or course, very good, but a second front would be much better.

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Monday's Cairo communique reveals that a number of Rommel's troops have been trapped in the northern sector.

Since that report we have done nothing but pray for correspondents and observers.

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"There goes the most independent man I have ever met. He takes orders from nobody."

"Really! What is he?"

"A commercial traveller!"

NEW YEAR

A Chinese Ode

A correspondent, while sending the following ancient Ode of T'ang referring to the Chinese New Year Festival, hopes "it may prove a guidance to us as we approach the Divali Festival in the midst of anxious times".

"The cricket is in the hall,
And the year is drawing to a close.
If we do not enjoy ourselves now,
The days and months will be leaving us.
But let us not go to great excess;
Let us first think of the duties of our position;
Let us not be wild in our love of enjoyment.
The good man is anxiously thoughtful.

The cricket is in the hall,
And the year is passing away.
If we do not enjoy ourselves now,
The days and months will have gone.
But let us not go to great excess;
Let us first send our thoughts beyond the present.
Let us not be wild in our love of enjoyment.
The good man is even diligent.

The cricket is in the hall,
And our carts stand unemployed.
If we do not enjoy ourselves now,
The days and months will have gone by.
But let us not go to an excess;
Let us first think of the griefs that may arise;
Let us not be wild in our love of enjoyment.
The good man is quiet and serene".

STARVING PATIENT REFUSES FOOD

One of the dangers of malaria is the patient's inability to take solid food. Adequate nourishment is essential if the wasting of nerve and muscle tissue caused by fever poisons on the system is to be overcome. Yet just when solid food is most needed, the stomach is too weak to digest it.

But this problem has been solved. In such cases, doctors prescribe Horlicks. It is 100 p.c. nourishment—yet it can be assimilated without the least strain on the weakened digestive organs and without giving rise to the nausea evoked by other foods. Horlicks strengthens the system, rebuilds wasted tissue and increases the body's resistence during convalescence.

Thanks to Horlicks, thousands of victims of the malaria scourge who might have lost their lives, have regained normal health in a remarkably short time. It is now included in recognised diets for fever cases in many leading hospitals.

HORLICKS

REBUILDS STRENGTH & VITALITY

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET

Bombay, Nov. 3.

On Monday, the New York cotton market was steady with moderate business. There was moderate trade demand. Hedge selling was light. The market opened at a rise of 4 points for March at 18.52 and closed steady at 18.54. Outside business was small pending Washington news. The market closed at a net rise of 6 to 7 points. Spot cotton prices gained 7 points at 20.13c. per lb.

The New Orleans cotton futures market was also steady with a moderate demand and closed at a rise of 6 to 8 points. Spot cotton prices advanced 12 points at 19.13c. per lb.

NEW YORK COTTON
New York, Nov. 2.

December	.....	18.46+06
January	.....	18.50+07
March	.....	18.54+06
Middling Spot	.....	20.13+09

NEW ORLEANS COTTON
New York, Nov. 2.

December	.....	18.58+08
January	.....	18.72+07
March	.....	18.77+06
Middling Spot	.....	19.13+12

NEW YORK COTTON NOON CALL
New York, Nov. 2.

December	.....	18.43
March	.....	18.53
May	.....	18.16

LONDON SILVER
London, Nov. 2.

Spot	.....	23 1/2
Forward	.....	23 1/2

LONDON GOLD
London, Nov. 2.

Gold Bars Fine per oz. £8-8-0

LONDON PRODUCE
London, Nov. 2.

Wheat Rosario Santa Fe Nov/Dec quoted 28
Wheat South Australia Nov/Dec quoted 28

LONDON EXCHANGES
London, Nov. 2.

T T London on :—
New York sellers 4.02 1/2 buyers 4.03 1/2
Madrid official 40.5
Montreal sellers 4.43 buyers 4.47
Zurich sellers 17.3 buyers 17.4
Stockholm sellers 16.85 buyers 16.95

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE
London, Nov. 2.

Rupee paper 3 1/2 per cent	.....	£67 1/2
Indian stock 3 1/2 per cent 1931 or later	.....	£100 5/8
Consols 2 1/2 per cent	.....	£82 5/16
Conversion loan 3 1/2 per cent 1961		£107 3/16
War loan 3 1/2 per cent	.....	£104 3/16
Funding loan 4 per cent 1960/90	.....	£114 1/8
Victory bonds 4 per cent	.....	£114 1/2
Chartered Bank of I A and China	...	£8 1/8
Hongkong and Shanghai Bank (London Reg.)	.....	£66 1/2
National Bank of India	.....	£29 1/4

ZINC CHLORIDE

Inquiries from Textile Mills and Engineering concerns on War Works for their requirements of the above for the first quarter of 1943 are invited before 10th November, 1942.

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BOMBAY STOCK EXCHANGE

Bombay, Nov. 3.

The local market was fairly steady to-day with improved buying. As usual business was being done outside the trading ring. Encouraging War news influenced better demand for Tata Steel shares. Tone was very steady with scarcity of sellers. Quotations were as under :—

Tata Steel Defds 1530; Tata Steel Ord 321; Bombay Dyeing 1512/8; Central India 410; Century Mills 512; Colaba 236; Gokak 360; Kohinoor 990; New Great 347; Tata Power 1600.

BOMBAY COTTON

Bombay, Nov. 3.

The local market was officially open but no business was done in the Trading Hall. Private business was being done at Rs. 383 to Rs. 384. The crop movement is now about to increase and it is believed that hedge selling will increase in line with arrivals.

MONEY MARKET

Bombay, Nov. 3.

LONDON—
Banks buying 90 Days/St. 1/6 9/32 Two Months.
Banks buying 90 Days/St 1/6 5/16 Three Months.
Banks buying 90 Days/St 1/6 5/16 Four Months.
B C Rates T T 1/5 15/16 D D 1/5 15/16.
Banks selling T T 1/5 31/32 D D 1/5 31/32
Banks buying T T 1/6 1/32 D D 1/6 5/32
LONDON/NEW YORK—
Banks selling T T Rs. 332 3/4 D D Rs. 332 3/4
Banks buying T T Rs. 329 1/2 D D Rs. 325 1/2
LONDON/MONTREAL—
Banks selling T T Rs. 302 1/2 D D Rs. 302 1/2
Banks buying T T Rs. 297 3/4 D D Rs. 294 3/4
LONDON/BERNE—
Banks selling T T Fcs 126 3/4
Banks buying T T Fcs 131 1/2
LONDON/STOCKHOLM—
Banks selling T T K 123 D D K 123
Banks buying T T K 128 D D K 128
MEXICO/LONDON—
Banks selling T T Rs 57.27 D D Rs. 56.27
Banks buying T T Rs 53.04 D D Rs. 52.04
LISBON/LONDON—
Banks selling T T Esc 7.35 nom D D Esc 7.35 nom.
Banks buying T T Esc 7.55 D D Esc 7.55
AUSTRALIA/LONDON—
Banks selling T T 1/10 3/8 D D 1/10 3/8
Banks buying T T — D D 1/11 3/8
Tone of Sterling Exchange :—Steady.
Gold £8-8-0 Ready.
New York Silver 44 3/4
London Silver 23 1/2 Ready 23 1/2 Forward
London Discounts 3 months 1 1/16 per cent
London Discounts 6 months 1 1/8 per cent
Reserve Bank Rate 3 per cent
Bank of England Rate 2 per cent.
Money :—Call and 7 to 3 months not quoting.
4 to 6 months 1/4 per cent.
7 to 12 months 1/2 per cent.
Tone :—Very Easy.

United Provinces Treasury Bills

Tenders for Rs. 75,00,000 (Seventy-five lacs only) of three months' Government of the United Provinces Treasury Bills will be received at the Reserve Bank of India Bombay up to 11 a.m. (S.T.) on Wednesday, the 11th November, 1942, and at the office of the Reserve Bank of India in Calcutta up to the close of business on Tuesday the 10th November, 1942.

Successful tenderers will be required to make payment and take up their bills on Friday, the 13th November, 1942.

Sales Of Treasury Bills

Tenders for Rs. Eight Crores of three months' Government of India Treasury Bills were opened on Tuesday, the 3rd November, 1942. Total amount offered was Rs. 11,10,50,000. Tenders at Rs. 99-14-0 were accepted in full and those at Rs. 99-13-9 allotted approximately 97 per cent. Lower tenders were rejected. Total amount accepted was Rs. 8,00,00,000, the average rate of accepted tenders being Rs. 0-9-0 per cent per annum.

Tenders for Rs. Ten Crores of three months' Government of India Treasury Bills will be received on Tuesday, the 10th November 1942, in Bombay up to 11 a.m. (S.T.) and up to the close of business on Monday, the 9th November, 1942 at other centres. Successful tenderers should make payment on Friday, the 13th November, 1942. Other conditions are as usual.

During the week ended 30th October, 1942, Government of India Treasury Bills for Rs. 2,18,00,000 were sold in favour of the Issue Department of the Reserve Bank of India.

Cheerful Tone On London Stock Exchange

LONDON, Nov. 2.

The Stock Exchange was generally cheerful to-day, encouraged by war news with business in an active scale. South African Gold Minings produced a good feature, Blyvoors advancing two-shillings to 39-3, while Cunare rose 9d. to two one and six. Giltedgeds ruled quite a firm, while Chinese Bonds, Rubbers and the Malayan Tins tended higher. South American rails after early better tendency again relapsed into dullness. Wall Street was active.—Reuter

Seeds Market

Bombay, Nov. 3.

The local seeds market was quietly steady. There was no forward trading. Ready groundnuts Khandesh are quoted at Rs. 62. Cottonseeds stand at Rs. 33/34 and Castorseeds are placed Rs. 65 to 66.

Latest Commercial

COTTON

MARCH
New York, Nov. 3.

Previous closing 18.54
To-day's opening ..... closed
New York markets remained closed to-day

CROSS RATES
T. T. NEW YORK ON LONDON
New York, Nov. 3.

Previous closing .....
To-day's opening ..... closed

T. T. LONDON ON NEW YORK
London, Nov. 3.

Previous closing 4.02 1/2 sellers; 4.03 1/2 buyers.
To-day's opening 4.02 1/2 sellers; 4.03 1/2 buyers.
To-day's closing 4.02 1/2 sellers; 4.03 1/2 buyers.

LONDON COMMODITIES

SEEDS
London, Nov. 3.

Castorseeds Bombay November/December (£28 1/4 quoted) £28 1/4 quoted
Linseed Calcutta November/December (£22 1/2 quoted) £23 quoted
Linseed La Plata November/December unquoted.
Groundnuts Coromandal November/December East Coast Indian shipment (£24 1/2 quoted) £24 1/4 quoted West Coast Indian shipment (£25 1/4) £25 quoted

LONDON METALS
Electric Copper (£62) £62
Lead (£25) £25
Glasgow Iron No 3 (131 sh.) 131 sh.

LONDON BULLION

LONDON GOLD
London, Nov. 3.

London Gold (£8-8-0) £8-8-0

LONDON SILVER
London, Nov. 3.

Spot (23 1/2d) 23 1/2d
Forward (23 1/2d) 23 1/2d

CROSS RATES
London, Nov. 3.

London on Bombay (1-5 1/32 sellers 1-5 31/32 buyers) 1-5 1/32 sellers; 1-5 31/32 buyers
New York on Bombay (30.36) 30.36

DISCOUNTS
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4 months (1 1/16 to 1 1/4 per cent) 1 1/16 to 1 1/4 per cent.
5 months (1 1/16 to 1 1/8 per cent) 1 1/16 to 1 1/8 per cent.

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

London, Nov. 3.

The London Stock Exchange was strong to-day.

3½ PER CENT STERLING LOAN

London, Nov. 3.

3 1/2 per cent Indian Sterling Loan closed to-day at £100 5/8

AUSTRALIAN LOAN

5 per cent Commonwealth £101 1/16

BRITISH FUNDS
2 1/2 per cent British Consols £82 3/8
2 1/2 per cent Conversion Loan £107 1/8
3 per cent Conversion Loan £100 3/8
4 per cent War Loan £114 1/8
3 1/2 per cent War Loan £104 1/2
3 per cent War Loan £101 15/16
4 per cent Victory Bonds £114 3/8

INDUSTRIALS
Standard Motors 20-1 1/2
Marks and Spencer Ordinary 40-5
Electric Music Industry 17-6
Princhin Johnson 27-5
Imperial Chemical 36-0
Woolsworth Ordinary 58-1 1/2
San Paulo 7 per cent Coffee Rates £79 1/2
Dunlop Rubber 32-9
Unilever Ordinary 30-9
Ford Motors 29-9
Cables and Wireless New Ordinary £72 1/2
British American Tobacco Ordy £4 1/2
Carrerss 'A' £6 1/32
Imperial Tobacco Ordinary £6 31/32
P and O Defd 35-6
Distillers 83-1 1/2
Bradford Dyers 16-0
British Celanese 16-4 1/2
J and P Coates 43-0
Courtaulds Ordinary 45-0
Fine Cotton Spinners 17-0
Vickers Limited Ordinary 18-1 1/2
Inter Nickels dol 66-1 1/2
Indian Iron 47-6

TEA SHARES
Assam 16-6
Donaro Tea 30-7 1/2
Empire of India 18-0

JUTE
Barnagore £5

RUBBER SHARES
Anglo Dutch Rubber 12-9
Gula Kelampong 8-9
Rubber Plant 17-6

MINING SHARES
Nandydrug 17-6
Burma Corporation 4-9
Rio Tintos £8
East Rand Properties £1 15/16
Rand Mines £7 1/8

MINE SHARES
Crown £9 1/4
Associated Portland Cement 60-1 1/2
Trinidad Leasehold 73-9
Sub-Nigel £6 1/8
Spring Mines Split Shares £0 15/16
Union Corporation 141-1 1/2

OIL SHARES
Venezuela Persian 38-9
Anglo-India 70-7 1/2
Burma Oil £2 21/32
Mexican Eagle £12-1 1/2
Shell Transport £3 7/32
Royal Dutch £24

RAILWAY SHARES
Great Western Ordinary £55 1/4
London Midland Ordinary £25 3/4
London North Eastern Defd £5 3/4
London Southern Defd £21 7/8
London Transport 5 per cent £125 1/2
London Transport 'C' £54 1/2

GOLD AND SILVER

Bombay, Nov. 3.

After yesterday's sharp rise in quotations of gold and silver the demand was quiet. There was scattered selling and prices were inclined to be down. Silver ready was quoted at Rs. 108/8 and ready gold was quoted at Rs. 64.

Powells' Ltd. Make Good Profits

The third annual general meeting of the shareholders of Powells' Ltd., was held at the registered offices of the Company at Lamington Road, Bombay on Tuesday evening, with Mr. Fazal I. Rahimtoola in the chair.

The report of the directors of the Company for the year ending June 30, 1942 which was adopted showed that after providing for depreciation and preliminary expenses, the Company made a profit of Rs. 27,868-13-11.

The Chairman in moving the adoption of the report said that the Government of India which was taking most of their products had approved them. But the Company had not been able to meet increased demands, as they were unable to obtain the necessary machinery.

Mr. F. I. Rahimtoola and Mr. H. K. Koregaonkar were re-elected directors of the Company. Mr. K. S. Aiyar and Co. were appointed auditors. A divident of 5 p.c. was declared.

INDIAN WOMANHOOD WILL RISE

B. J. Wadia On Eve In Drama And Fiction

An interesting after-lunch lecture on "Women in drama and fiction" was delivered by Mr. B. J. Wadia at the Rotary Club on Tuesday afternoon, when it being a "Ladies' Day", a large number of ladies also attended.

Mr. Wadia spoke on different activities and spheres of women as mentioned in well-known novels. He spoke of women in subjection, democracy, autocracy, independent and intellectual.

Starting from Shakespeare, he said Shakespeare was the master of the secrets of human nature and he had depicted both the nature of men and of women well in his dramas. Referring to a woman's sprightliness, one of the characters said: "I was born under stars who danced at my birth", Mr. Wadia said this is a woman who was full of wits. Unfortunately, he said, in Eastern countries the tragedies of Shakespeare were turned into comedies, and gave an instance of a theatre in Bombay where Hamlet was staged in Marathi. Hamlet was dressed as Indian Maharaja with a big turban and glittering pearl necklace and other jewels. At the death of Hamlet the throne goes to the King of Norway while in the Marathi drama of Hamlet, the throne was passed on to the Queen. (Laughter.).

Coming to Dickens' novels, Mr. Wadia said Dickens too had introduced a number of women characters in his books but he seemed to be unhappy himself in his home life, as after 22 years of married life, he divorced his wife. One of his daughters died in 1929 and before her death wrote to a friend that she loved her father more than any one else but "he was a very wicked old soul". (Laughter).

Referring to Samuel Richardson's "Pamella", Mr. Wadia said, when the villagers where Pamella lived heard that Pamella was married, butchers, grocers, blacksmiths and others ran to the church and rang the church-bell announcing the wedding.

Mr. Wadia then spoke on Thackersey, Thomas Hardy, Shaw, and Tolstoy and said the foundation and stability of home life as well as the country was the education of mothers. Unfortunately in India, education among women was very slow. Ignorance was like a deadweight which crushed the hope and aspirations of any country. He hoped therefore that Indian womanhood would rise and take its proper place in shaping the destiny of this country.

U. S. S. R. ANNIVERSARY

City Programme

The Secretary, Cultural Society of Friends of Soviet Union, writes :—

On 7th November 1942 the progressive peoples all over the world will celebrate the 25th anniversary of the birth of the first Socialist state in the U.S.S.R. We in India must remember the Soviet Union is our mightiest ally in our struggle for national defence and freedom. The Friends of the Soviet Union, therefore, calls upon all freedom-loving citizens of Bombay to cooperate whole-heartedly in making the celebration a success.

Sir. S. A. Brelvi, Editor, "Bombay Chronicle" will open the F.S.U. Exhibition on the 6th Nov. 1942, at 7 p.m. (S.T.), at the Brahman Sabha Hall, (near Parthana Samaj), Girgaon. The Exhibition will remain open on 6th, 7th, 8th and 9th between hours 9 a.m. (S.T.) to 1 p.m. (S.T.) and 3 p.m. to 10 p.m. (S.T.). It will then be removed to Fidhwalla Hall (near David Sassoon Mill), Elphinstone Road, on 11th instant and will be kept open till the 18th instant.

A nominal fee of one anna will be charged for entrance to the Exhibition at Girgaon and at half anna at Parel.

On 8th November, a cultural entertainment programme will be staged on the Kamgar Maidan, Parel, from 8-30 to 10-30 p.m. (S.T.) and the exhibition will close at 6 p.m. (S.T.) on this day.

A Memon Wedding

The marriage ceremony of Mr. Osman Mohomed Merchant, ex Joint Secretary, Bombay Provincial Muslim League, and his young brother, Mr. Ibrahim Mohomed Merchant, a well-known Cricketer, who won for 5 times consecutively the Giles Shield School Tournament was performed on Saturday, at their residence, the Darvesh Manzil, with great pomp. The father of the bridegrooms is a well-known figure in Bombay Society, is President of the Timber Merchants' Association. The leading members of all the communities, attended the wedding.

A sumptuous lunch given on Sunday was attended by two thousand persons.

Bombay's Fire Fighting Scheme

BOMBAY, Nov. 3.

The distribution of necessary equipment for the 8,000 fire watching posts in Bombay has begun and Dr. G. R. Pradhan, the Chief Fire Guard of the Joint Civil Defence Committee, has requested the landlords of buildings which have been selected as watching posts, to take charge of the equipment and implements which are given free of charge. Fire fighting parties consisting of five trained men require the equipment to prevent fires. The landlords of buildings are being requested to be in charge of the equipment and implements on behalf of the Joint Civil Defence Committee.—A. P.

Mehrchand Khanna For Delhi

PESHAWAR, Nov. 3.

Rai Bahadur Mehrchand Khanna left to-day for Delhi by the Bombay Express to join the members of the Indian Delegation to America.—United Press.

SANSKRIT SCHOLAR DEAD

(From A Correspondent.)

MUTTRA, Nov. 3.

Yagnikkesari Pandya Amritram Dharmasashtri, a well-known scholar of Sanskrit and Vedas and the best Karmakandi India has produced in 19th and 20th centuries died at the age of 68 years at Muttra, at his residence.

The Governor of Bombay has returned to Bombay from Mahableshwar.

"INDIANISING" PORT TRUST!

European Deputy Chairman Appointed

At the meeting of the Trustees of the Port of Bombay, the proposal to appoint a European as Deputy Chairman was, it is understood, carried by majority. An amendment suggesting that the post should be advertised moved by Mr. M. A. Master was defeated by 11 votes to 3. Mr. Master, Dr. Shaikh and Mr. Ramdas Kilachand voting for the amendment. Three Indian officials, Sir B. Rama Rau, Chairman, Mr. Murthi, Executive Engineer and Mr. Bhat, Municipal Commissioner and 8 European Trustees, it is understood, voted against the amendment.

Indian Political Science Association

LAHORE, Nov. 3

The fifth conference of the Indian Political Science Association will be held at Agra towards the end of December 1942, under the presidentship of Principal Gurmukh Nihalsingh, H. L. College of Commerce, Ahmedabad.—A. P.

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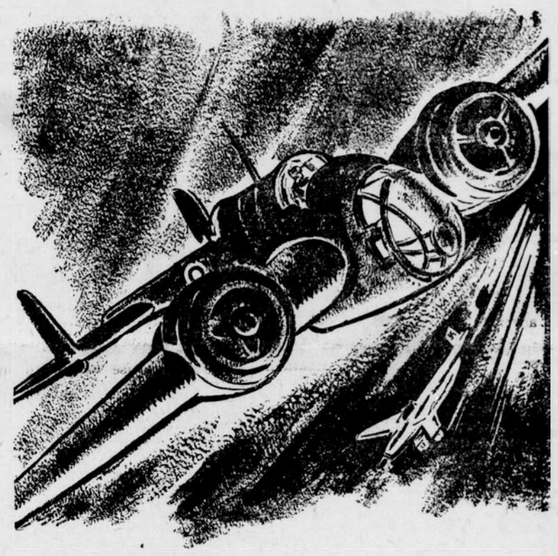

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C. I. D. SEIZE RADIO TRANSMITTER

Congress Arrests And Convictions

BOMBAY, Tuesday.

The Bombay C. I. D. have seized a radio transmitter and microphone from a building in Girgaum, where it had apparently been taken for purposes of repair. It is stated that this was part of the equipment used for purposes of broadcasting by Congress workers in the city.

For some time past, it is stated, a mysterious "radio station" purporting to operate on behalf of the Congress, had been on the air on Bombay. Although the police were not able to locate the "station" they suspected that transmitters were being taken to a certain building for repairs.

A watch was set on this building. On Friday, two persons were seen getting out of a taxi and carrying a bundle into the building. The men were intercepted and put under arrest.

The bundle is stated to have contained a microphone and a transmitter. Further inquiries are in progress.

ECHO OF LIVE BOMB FINDINGS IN CAR

Four persons including the driver, the owner of the car and a city doctor were arrested by the Bombay Police last evening in connection with the finding of five live bombs in a motor car chase on Saturday night.

CRUDE BOMB FOUND AT GOKHALE ROAD

A crude bomb was found at Gokhale Road last night in an unexploded condition.

CONGRESSMEN CONVICTED

Seven persons who were charged under Defence of India Rules were produced to-day before Mr. I. S. Haji, Presidency Magistrate, Mazgaon Court. Six persons were convicted, and one student was discharged.

Mohamed Khan Ibrahim Khan who was found distributing Congress bulletins and leading a procession along Gokhale Road, on October 7 was sentenced to pay a fine of Rs. 60 or in default to undergo 2 months' rigorous imprisonment.

Kashinath Vishvanath (18), a student who was found picketing at Mumbadevi Road was sentenced to pay a fine of Rs. 150 or in default 2 months' R. I.

Dattu Waman (18) who was found picketing at Sheikh Memon Street was sentenced to pay a fine of Rs. 150 or in default 6 months' R. I.

Babu Changoo Patel (25) and Nichaldas Mulchand (45) who were found picketing and preventing the shopkeepers from attending to their work were sentenced to pay a fine of Rs. 150 or in default to undergo four months' rigorous imprisonment.

Shevtri Prasad Shamlal (50) who was found selling unauthorised leaflets in Dharmsey Mansion at Currey Road on October 16, was sentenced to pay a fine of Rs. 150 or in default three months' R. I.

Kantilal Shah (18) who was arrested on a charge of obstructing vehicular traffic and addressing a meeting, near Portuguese Church, Girgaum, stated before the Magistrate that as he was going to the market to purchase vegetables, he was caught hold of by the Police Officer, slapped on the face and was rushed into a Police Van.

The Magistrate found no substantial evidence against the accused. He therefore discharged him.

LEAGUE WORKING COMMITTEE

LAHORE, Nov. 3.

It is understood that the League Working Committee will meet in Delhi on November 8th. Inquiries reveal that members have not received the agenda or any official intimation so far. It is, however expected that the most important item on the agenda will be the Sindh Ministerial tangle and the part played by Khan Bahadur Khuhro and Mr. Hashim Gazdar. The Committee will also consider Rajaji's scheme.—Orient Press.

11,000 Killed In Cyclone Havoc In Bengal

LOSS OF CATTLE HEAVIER STILL: EVERY "KUTCHA" HOUSE DAMAGED

CALCUTTA, November 2.

Not less than 10,000 persons in Midnapore District and 1,000 in 24 Parganas lost their lives and loss of cattle are heavier as a result of the cyclone which passed over several districts of Bengal, beginning on the morning of October 16 till the early hours of October 17 morning.

This is revealed in a Press Note issued by the Bengal Government which, giving account of the relief work done so far by the Government, appeals for non-official help as well.

The Press Note adds: "The cyclone rose at the Bay and on the afternoon of October 16 a high tidal bore forced up by cyclone broke into the mainland and devastated a considerable area in the southern part of Midnapore and 24 Parganas.

It was accompanied by heavy rain and practically every "kutcha" house was severely damaged or destroyed.

The havoc caused was so great in Midnapore that the first few days had to be spent in restoring communications without which no relief work could be done.—A. P.

MALTA'S AIR ACE LOSES LEG IN PLANE CRASH

OTTAWA, Nov. 3.

Pilot-Officer G. F. ("Screwball") Beurling, Malta's Air Ace had his leg broken when a passenger plane crashed near Gibraltar, it is announced here.

Beurling was on his way home to Canada from Malta. The machine crashed on a hill top in the eastern part of the rock, bounced back and fell into the sea. He had shot down a total of 28 Axis planes.—Reuter.

Lippmann Criticises Willkie

NEW YORK, Nov. 3.

Writing in the New York "Herald Tribune" to-day Mr Walter Lippmann the celebrated American publicist, says that he feels sure that a sensitive observer like Mr. Willkie would have returned with a very different story if he had reversed his itinerary and had come back through Britain.

"The crux of the colonial question to-day is not how to persuade Empires to relinquish their political power but how to induce ascendant democracies in strong states to bear the responsibilities of collective security within which weak peoples can safely learn the difficult task of governing themselves", he said.—Reuter.

TARA SINGH SEES VICEROY

NEW DELHI, Nov. 3.

Master Tara Singh had an interview with the Viceroy to-day.—A. P.

Story Of Ghatkoper "Bomb" Find

Mr. Chhelshankar D. Vyas, Advocate, writing on behalf of Mr. Sitaram Bholanath Veer, says in the course of a letter:—

"In your issue of the 10th of October 1942, a report relating to the arrest of Jagannath Veer was published. In the said report it was stated that a bomb was found during a raid in Ghatkopar.

It is false to state, as is done in the report that the arrested person was a very active A.R.P. Warden.

My client is an A.R.P. Group Warden and though his premises were searched, he is not the person who is arrested. On the other hand, the arrested person is his brother but he is not an A.R.P. Warden.

The incendiary bomb that was seized from the premises had been received by my client from the Government for A.R.P. practice.

SIKANDAR ON HIS RECENT TOUR

LAHORE, Nov. 2.

Sir Sikandar Hyat Khan, Premier of the Punjab, gave a talk on his recent tour in the Middle East at a reception held in his honour this evening by the Ministers of the Punjab Government.

Sir Sikandar also spoke of his experiences in Cyprus and Haifa, where he proceeded to see his son Capt Shaukat Hyat Khan. From Haifa he went back to Cairo and met Gen. Alexander. The Premier expressed the hope that the push now started by our forces would rapidly lead to favourable developments and our troops would keep up the glorious traditions of the Indian army.

Sir Sikandar said the troops remembered that they were not well treated after the last war but if they were let down this time as a result of the cries of vociferous politicians, he asserted that his sympathies would be entirely with them (troops).

HIT AT POLITICIANS

The Premier recalled that the Congress resolution had just been passed when he left India and he was glad to say that the Punjab had been immune from the malady afflicting the rest of India. As a result of the sacrifices of our troops on the battlefields, he concluded, we had already achieved a declaration of our freedom, but in spite of this if anybody belittled the sacrifices of our troops he hoped that they would be silenced when our heroes returned back victorious.—A. P.

Bhai Parmanand Criticises Rajaji's Moves

LAHORE, Nov. 3.

"I should like to advise the Hindus to beware of Mr. Rajagopalachari's moves", says Bhai Paramanand, Vice-President of the All-India Hindu Mahasabha, in a statement to the Press.

He says: "If the Congress Party broke with Sir Stafford's scheme on the question of veto by the Viceroy—another great blunder committed by the Congress leaders—how can they expect that the 300 millions of Hindus would submit to the autocracy of Mr. Jinnah. Mr. Rajagopalachari is being persuaded to proceed to England. Let me tell him that if he is going there to secure the transfer of power to the League, he should abandon the idea at once.—A. P.

MR. JINNAH IN ALIGARH

ALIGARH, Nov. 3.

Mr. M. A. Jinnah was accorded a reception at Aligarh railway station by a large crowd including students. He was received by Sir Ziauddin Ahmed. From station Mr. Jinnah drove to the residence of Nawab S. Daryagunj. Later he attended a luncheon given in his honour by Sir Ziauddin Ahmed.—A. P.

FOUNDERS OF INDIAN NATIONALISM

Role Of Leaders Of Minority Communities

DEHRA DUN, Nov. 3.

Sir Jogendra Singh speaking at the I.C.S. probationers' camp referred to the reputation of the service.

He went on to dwell on the ideals which Queen Victoria placed before the permanent services in India and referred to the national movement fostered under the Queen's regime. The Indian National Movement, Sir Jogendra Singh proceeded, had been led by leading men of minority communities, and he instanced the cases of Mr. Jinnah, the family of Tyabji, and Dadabhai Naoroji, Sir Phirozshah Mehta and others of the Parsi community.

"Then" he said, "there came the change. The transfer of power to representative institutions was complicated by communal representation in the legislatures and services, and the Government of India abdicated largely in favour of the provinces. This set the communal cauldron simmering.

I can assert with some confidence that when all the countries of the world are seeking the ways of union, India cannot follow for long a policy of separation. This appears to me to be a passing phase, which, I am sure, cannot endure. For, all communities will gain if India gains, and all communities will lose, if India loses. The "beggar my neighbour" policy has no permanent place in this God's universe."

I see in you the vanguard of a United India. India expects you to do your duty without fear or favour.—A. P.

HALIFAX'S SON KILLED IN ACTION

WASHINGTON, Nov. 3.

The Hon'ble Peter Wood, who is the second son of the British Ambassador in Washington, Lord Halifax, has been killed in action in Egypt.

It is understood that the Hon'ble Peter Wood was a Flying Officer on the Desert Front.—Reuter.

Communal Ratio In Govt. Services To Be Maintained

KARACHI, Nov. 3.

The Hidayatullah Government is to maintain the 'status quo' regarding the communal ratio in the Government services namely 60 and 40 per cent respectively for Muslims and non-Muslims.

This ratio had been observed by the last Ministry and Sir Ghulam Hussain explained recently that when any vacancy in Government service occurred and if there was no suitable candidate available in the Department, then there would be direct recruitment to maintain the ratio. He said, however, that there would be no supersession and there would be no overriding of the rights of any community.—A.P.

Popular Police Officer Passes Away

The "Bombay Chronicle" regrets to announce the death of Mr. S. P. Bhatkal, officiating Superintendent, Bombay City Police which occurred at the residence of his uncle at Forjett Street on Sunday.

Mr. Bhatkal entered the force as long ago as 1914 as a first class Havildar. By dint of his outstanding ability and, initiative and the skill with which he handled his job as a crime investigator he passed through all the grades of promotion to the high post of officiating Superintendent in 1940. He was clearly marked out for still higher promotion had he not been cut off in his prime.

The funeral on Sunday was attended by a large number of police officers and other friends.

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